

# Report on Educational Visit to Interactive Literary Session

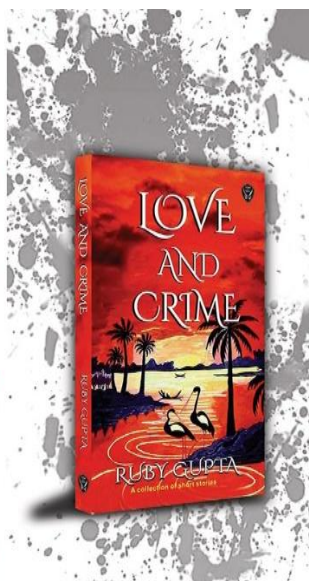
## Department of English, KGC Dehradun

February 21, 2026

On February 21, 2026 an educational activity was undertaken by the Department of English, Kanya Gurukul Campus, Dehradun. The faculty members and students from U.G. & P.G. attended an interactive session titled “Desire, Deceit & Death – A Conversation on Love & Crime” at the Doon Library and Research Centre. The discussion, moderated by Mr. Anil Raturi, IPS (Retd.), was based on the short story collection titled *Love and Crime* by author, Prof. Ruby Gupta. The delegation included Shristi Malkoti, Guest Faculty, and Ms. Saijasi Rawat, Research Scholar, along with students from M.A and B.A English programmes. The session focused on exploring the themes of love, betrayal, morality, and crime as represented in literature. The interactive nature of the programme encouraged active participation from the attendees. Students engaged in meaningful dialogue, shared interpretations, and reflected upon the ethical and psychological dimensions of literary texts. Dr. Reena Verma, Assistant Professor, Department of English, coordinated the visit and facilitated student participation. She emphasized the importance of such academic engagements beyond the classroom to enhance critical thinking and scholarly exposure. The visit proved to be intellectually enriching and served as a valuable extension of classroom learning for the students of the Department. The session provided an opportunity to broaden academic perspectives and deepen their understanding of complex human emotions as portrayed in literature.



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**DESIRE, DECEIT & DEATH:**  
A CONVERSATION ON LOVE & CRIME  
to mark the release of  
a collection of short stories that explore  
the dark side of relationships by  
**PROF. (DR) RUBY GUPTA**  
DISCUSSANT  
ANIL RATURI Former IPS  
and administrator; author, poet, columnist  
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